

APPLICATION FOR U.S. PATENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application  
of:

Inventor or Application Identifier:  
Conrad B. Myrick, et al.

Entitled: STRUCTURE AND METHOD OF MODELING INTEGRATED  
BUSINESS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY FRAMEWORKS  
AND ARCHITECTURE IN SUPPORT OF A BUSINESS

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification (104 Total Pages)  
☒ Drawing(s) (45 Total Sheet(s) of ☒ Formal ☐ Informal)  
☒ Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 Total Pages)  
    \_\_\_ Newly executed (original or copy) (UNSIGNED)  
    \_\_\_ Copy from a prior application  
        (for continuation/divisional only)  
  
\_\_\_ An Assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_ is attached.  
    A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.28  
    and § 3.31 is included with an Assignment recordal fee of  
    \$ \_\_\_\_\_ pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h).  
  
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Applicant is:

- ☒ Large Entity  
\_\_\_ Small Entity  
    \_\_\_ Small Entity Statement enclosed  
    \_\_\_ Small Entity Statement filed in prior application.  
    Status still proper and desired.

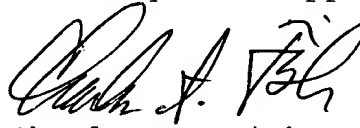
The accompanying application is:

☒ Original  
☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-In-Part (CIP)  
of prior application No. \_\_\_\_\_ which is hereby  
incorporated by reference therein.

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